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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of :

Eric RASPE et al.

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For : USE OF REV-ERB FAMILY OF RECEPTORS IN SCREENING

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Sir:

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